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E.O. 11652: NGDS

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SUBJECT: APPOINTMENT WITH PRIME MINISTER WILLIAMS

REF: POS 1013 AND 1014

1. I HAVE JUST RECEIVED MESSAGE FROM PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE REQUESTING ME TO CALL ON PM ERIC WILLIAMS TOMORROW (MAY 7) AT 10:30 AM. THIS WILL BE FIRST TIME WILLIAMS HAS ASKED ME TO CALL ON ANY SUBJECT AND, EXCEPT FOR MY INITIAL COURTESY CALL ON HIM IN FEBRUARY, THE FIRST TIME HE HAS SPOKEN TO AN AMERICAN AMBASSADOR IN ALMOST TWO YEARS.

2. ALMOST CERTAINLY, PM WISHES TO FOLLOW-UP ON HIS LETTER TO SECRETARY

KISSINGER AND COMMERCE MINISTER MAHABIR'S DISCUSSION WITH ME LATE ON FRIDAY (REFTELS) CONCERNING AVIATION IN THE CARIBBEAN. IT WOULD BE MOST HELPFUL IF DEPARTMENT COULD GIVE ME SOME INDICATION OF PRELIMINARY THINKING IN WASHINGTON IN TIME FOR TOMORROW'S MEETING, HOPEFULLY INCLUDING A POSITIVE RESPONSE TO THE REQUEST FOR DIRECT DISCUSSIONS IN WASHINGTON WITH HIS REPRESENTATIVE.

3. I WILL ALSO HOPE TO USE THE OPPORTUNITY TO REVIEW WITH HIM THE RECENT MEETINGS OF FOREIGN MINISTERS IN WASHINGTON AND ATLANTA AND
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ELICIT HIS VIEWS ON CURRENT QUESTIONS OF FOLLOW-UP (E.G. STATE 92124).

4. WOULD APPRECIATE REPLY NO LATER THAN OPENING OF BUSINESS
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